

Atty Dkt. No.: 10010009-1

USSN: 09/775,387

REMARKS

In view of the following remarks, the Examiner is requested to allow this application.

Claims 6,25, 27-30, 32, 33, 40-43 and 45-55 are cancelled by the above amendment.

The cancellation of the claims was made solely in the interest of expediting prosecution, and is not to be construed as an acquiescence to any objection or rejection of any claim. The applicant's expressly reserve the right to pursue the cancelled claims in a continuation application.

In the Final Rejection, the Examiner indicated that Claims 1-3, 5, 7-11, 13, 37-39 and 44 are allowed. As these are the only claims now pending in this application, all of the rejections of the Final Rejection are moot.

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CONCLUSION

The Applicant respectfully submits that all of the claims are in condition for allowance, which action is requested. If the Examiner finds that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, please telephone Dianne Rees at (650) 485 5999. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1078.

Respectfully submitted,

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